AMENDMENTS

Of the Senate to the bill, intituled, " An act relating to bonds given by marshals."

SECTION 1.

Line 3. After the word "filed," insert "and recorded."

5. After the word "appointed," add "and copies thereof certified by the clerk, under the seal of the said court, shall be competent evidence in any court of justice."

Strike out the remainder of the bill, and add the three following sections:

"Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That it shall be lawful in case of the breach of the condition of any such bond, for any person, or body politic, thereby injured, to bring a suit upon such bond in the name of the United States, for the use of such party, whose name shall be inserted, in the original process, and endorsed upon the record: and the proceedings shall be for the sole benefit of the *cestui que trust,* and the verdict and judgment shall be entered for such sum as the *cestui que trust* shall shew that he is entitled to recover, with costs of suit; and execution shall issue, for the sum for which judgment shall be rendered; and in case the *cestui que trust* should fail in his suit, judgment shall be rendered against him for costs, for which the defendant or defendants shall have execution.

Sec. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the said bonds shall, after any judgment, or judgments, render-

ed thereon, remain as a security, for the benefit of any person, or body politic, injured by breach of the condition of the same, until the whole penalty shall have been recovered, and the proceedings shall be always in the same manner, and as herein before directed.

Sec. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That all suits to be brought on marshals' bonds, shall be commenced and prosecuted within six years after the party's cause of action accrued, and not afterwards; saving nevertheless, the rights of infants, feme coverts, and persons non compos mentis, so that they sue within three years after their disabilities are removed."